

# FUTURE OUTLOOK

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## Citizens Launch Campaign To Raise \$5,000 For Dudley High School Band

A group of about 50 interested citizens met with the city school officials Tuesday night at Hayes-Taylor Y. M. C. A. to effect plans for a city-wide campaign to raise \$5,000 for the purpose of buying uniforms for the Dudley high school band. One hundred uniforms are needed, at an estimated cost of \$50 each.

Using the colors of the school as symbols, the campaign is divided into two groups, the Gold, headed by Mrs. Goldie Hargett, local business woman, as captain, and the Blue, headed by

Mr. Wiley McCrae, as captain. Persons working with Mrs. Hargett in the campaign are as follows:

Messrs. Franklyn Brown, Perry J. Brown, Vance Chavis, W. L. Jones, A. H. Peeler, J. C. McLaughlin, J. S. Leary, J. A. Tarpley, E. W. Holt, G. T. Channell, Charles A. Grant, Alonzo Douglas, Robert Haith, Dorsett Hayes, P. Alien, J. W. Snipes, E. Graves, Madams Annie W. Price, Rose Jenkins, Geneva C. Hunt, S. S. Leary, L. J. Spaulding, Nell Colvin, Dr. David D. Jones, Dr.

F. D. Bluford, and Dr. Eccles.

Working with Mr. McCrae are Dr. George Simkins, Dr. Wm. Hampton, Messrs. Alvis Rhodes, William Compton, E. D. London, Clarence Grier, T. D. Wooten, Samuel Penn, J. F. Johnson, W. B. Tatum, F. E. Millings, A. A. Stewart, N. L. Gregg, J. L. Vines, P. P. Shoffner, Madams Margaret Yancey, W. T. Gibbs, and Lillian Cummings.

Franklyn J. Brown was appointed as chairman of the general steering committee, while Dean J. C. McLaughlin is chair-

man of the campaign planning committee.

The campaign has met with the approval and cooperation of the superintendent of the city schools, the principal, the faculty, and student body of Dudley high school, the local elementary schools, civic groups, educational groups, churches, business organizations, professional groups and individual citizens. We believe the amount needed to put uniforms on the fine band unit "belonging to Greensboro," can be secured.

## Fans Voting On Bowl Eleven

On New Year's Day two of the nation's leading Negro Football Teams will clash in Greensboro's Memorial Stadium in the 2nd Annual Cotton-Tobacco Bowl Football Classic.

A poll is now being conducted among sports fans to select the popular and favorite teams. Cotton-Tobacco Bowl Officials report that to date several thousands of votes have been received in the poll.

Favorite elevens according to the latest poll tabulations include Shaw University, North Carolina College, Lincoln University, Florida A. and M., Allen University, Lane College, Tuskegee, Fisk University, Virginia State College, West Virginia State College, Morehouse College, Morgan State College, South Carolina State College, A. and T. College, Benedict and Johnson C. Smith University.

Cotton-Tobacco Bowl Headquarters in Greensboro is a busy place these days counting ballots of pigskin enthusiast.

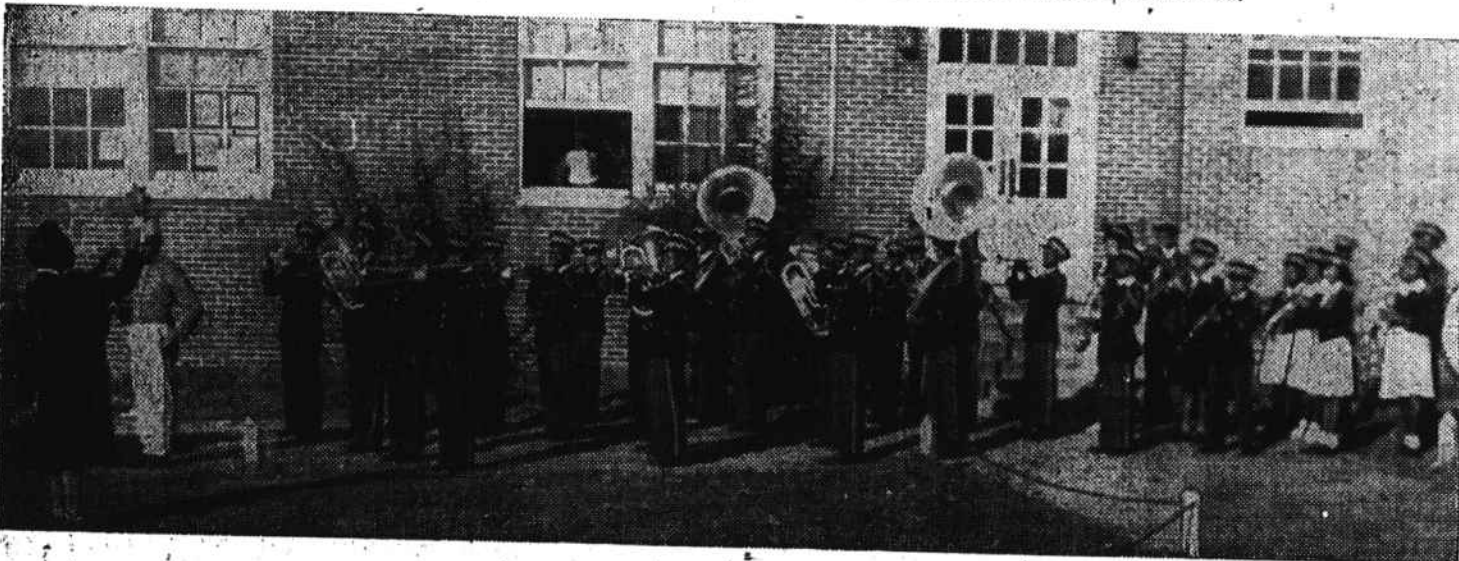
## A. & T. R.O.T.C. ORGANIZE BASKETBALL TEAM

A. and T. College R.O.T.C. basketball team called its first meeting of the season recently in the College Gym, and more than fifty vivacious looking young men responded. Officers were elected for the season and a squad of twenty men were selected for the main R.O.T.C. team.

Among those present, there were more than half of last years championship team, to be joined by their new comers. They included, William DeVone, Clifton Murrell, Chester Ross, Chalous Hall, Leon Coleman, and James Jones. Other promising stars for this years team are: Thomas Burk, Henderson Coleman Leonard Hershaw, William Niel, and John Washington.

The R.O.T.C. team is a member of the Greensboro League, and is also planning to play other R.O.T.C. teams throughout the Eastern United States. The locals are also planning to meet the following high schools: Dudley High, High Point, Palmer, Reidsville, Chapel Hill, Burlington, Florence, Wilson, Rocky Mount, and Seaboard. Out of state games include Wheeling, Ohio, Hampton, Va., Charleston, W. Va., and Tuskegee, Ala.

Major Johnson and his assistants are mentors for the locals, while Thomas Cooper, is manager. Thomas Hairston is student coach. All home games will be played in the College gym, and Mr. Challenge is expected to be referee.



The above photo shows some of the Dudley high school band members, who played in early morning concert when both white and colored were being sent away to training camps, in all types of weather, rain, snow, sleet or storm, at the Jefferson Square. Some of these students

were drafted into service, and served in active duty. Some of the members constitute the first all-Negro navy band.

The first all-Negro navy band to be organized in the United States was stationed at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Of the 40 boys in the

original group, 28 were from the Dudley high school band, who volunteered for the formation of the organization. The Dudley band director also volunteered, and later became director in charge of this fine navy band.

The group remained together throughout the war, and served

with credit at Pearl Harbor and other places in the Pacific. Since that time the Dudley high school band has been under the direction of Mrs. Eloise Logan Penn, the first woman to gain such recognition with a band of 100 members in the state of North Carolina.



**WILEY McRAE, Captain** for the Blue; Mrs. F. A. Hargett is co-captain, and Mrs. M. Yancey is secretary-treasurer.

First Report of Campaign agents will be made Monday night, November 25, at 8 o'clock, at the Hayes-Taylor Y. M. C. A.

## Miss Negro Business

The "Miss Negro Business" contest, now being sponsored by the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, is in its fourth week. Again the thermometer has gone up and this time the McCrae Taxi Service takes the spotlight in first place with Miss Jocelyn Bailey as its staunch defender. And suddenly moving from sixth place to a coveted second place are the Gate City Beauticians, with Mrs. Jearl Johnson as their candidate.

Holding third place is the Sanitary Dry Cleaning company, with Miss Lola Counts as its booster. Miss Norma McLaughlin, upholding the Royal Taxi company, holds fourth place.

Fifth place goes to Corbett's Grill, with Miss Maggie Lewis as its contestant.

The contest moves into its

final week, closing November 29.

A semi-formal dance honoring all of the business men and their contestants will crown the finals. At this affair \$100 in cash prizes will be awarded the winners, and recognition will be given to all the participants. A window plaque will be awarded the winning business. All members of the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority will serve as hostesses at this affair.

The dance will be held on November 29, at Windsor Community center, at 10 p. m.

## SANITARY DRY CLEANING COMPANY

Mr. John L. Vines is the dynamic personality behind the progressive Sanitary Dry Cleaning Company located at 106 Dudley street. Having an intense interest in dry cleaning, Mr. Vines started out in one room. Today his ever-growing business is housed in a modern, well

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**MRS. GOLDIE HARGETT**

Captain for the Gold; Dr. Barnes is co-captain, and Mrs. F. S. Leary is secretary-treasurer

Contribute to the Dudley High School Band Uniform Campaign

Frankfurter says education of all is vital key to democracy.

Bankers plan to press education of the public to save money.